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Shinichi ITO et al.

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For: INFORMATION RETRIEVAL SYSTEM AND
INFORMATION RETRIEVAL METHOD
USING NETWORK

**REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION
PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.322**

Attention: Certificate of Correction Branch
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Dear Madam:

Upon reviewing the above-identified patent, Patentee noted a typographical error which should be corrected on the face of the Letters Patent Document. The patent included Shinichi ITO, Taiki KAMIYA and Yasuhiko ASAH I as inventors even though these inventors were deleted from the patent application. Enclosed for your reference is a copy of the Patent Office's official filing receipt, which shows that the correct inventors are **Taro TOKUHIRO, Seiichi YAMAGUCHI and Hisanori MURAKAMI**. Therefore, patentee requests the following changes:

On the Title page:

(75) Inventors: Taro Tokuhiro, Hamamatsu (JP); Seiichi Yamaguchi, Hamamatsu (JP);
Hisanori Murakami, Hamamatsu (JP)

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Patentee requests correction of the above-mentioned patent. **Patent also requests that a new cover (face) page of the Letters Patent is reprinted listing the correct inventors.**

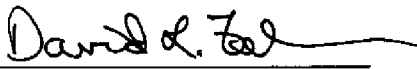
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